

Senator Farwell's Texas Land.
Senator Charles V. Farwell, of Illinois, and his partners, his brother and Abner Taylor, of Chicago, will make from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 in their Texas land speculation. It is said that the state of Texas has given to the Farwell company 8,000,000 acres of land in Texas. The land today is worth \$5 an acre, and the state buildings did not cost more than \$1,000,000. The land is all fenced in. Seventy-five thousand cattle are now on it, and more are to follow. It comprises enough territory for a principality. The Farwell company have their headquarters in London. English capitalists own about one-quarter of the stock.
This great and successful venture was brought to the Farwells by an impecunious and visionary man, who obtained the contracts which he sold to the Farwell company. The story goes that the man happened to be in Austin, and hearing that the state was offering land to any one who would put up state buildings he calmly walked up and took the contract, when he had barely enough money in his pocket to pay his fare to Chicago. The same man who gave away such a block of land rather than raise the money necessary by taxation of course never dreamed of questioning the contractor's financial ability. He had some trouble in convincing the Farwells of the value of the land, owing to their distrust of the visionary contractor's judgment, but investigation showed the value, and the contract was purchased for a few thousand dollars, and a property was obtained which will net its owners many millions.—Baltimore American.

Depends on How You Do It.
"Well, which are really the more injurious, cigars or cigarettes?" asked a pretty girl of a bearded member of the Belmont Tennis club, at the club's court yesterday afternoon.
"I'll show you," said he, and turning, he called to a friend: "Neh, toss me a cigar." Then he took out a fine cigar, lit it, and blew a puff of smoke through the mesh of the handkerchief. "Oh, look how black it is," said the young lady for whose sake the experiment was being made.
"Now look," said the club man. He lighted the cigar and puffed till he got a good volume of smoke, which he poured through the meshes of the handkerchief again. A scarcely perceptible stain was left on its whiteness.
"Well, that proves it," said the fair investigator. "My! just think of that horrid black stuff all settling in your lungs!"
"Wait one moment," said the experimenter, and he repeated the experiment with the cigarette.
"Well, how is that?" was the astonished question.
"Why, it is simply due to the difference in the way you place your lips when you inhale the smoke through the mesh. Hold them tight and it will settle in your lungs as soon as the cigar, and it leaves a stain upon them, and barely feels the smoke through and you get almost no trace."—Philadelphia News.

The Guillotine at Paris.
The distance from the prison door to the guillotine is not more than twenty steps. The execution takes place at the dawn of day, and as far as anything being seen by the crowd they are practically private. Only the journalists and a few privileged ones are admitted on the square. At 2 o'clock in the morning the cavalry and infantry of the Paris Municipal guard, 100 each, fifty cavalry gendarmes and about 500 policemen appear. The soldiers push back the mob so as to leave the entire square clear. Shortly afterward the executioner arrives in a large red wagon which contains the guillotine. The instrument is packed in a number of cases, each piece being numbered. The aids put it together, the work not lasting over half an hour. When the knife is in place the headman tries its edge on a small bundle of straw to see that it slides easily and cuts well. Just before the moment of execution the gendarmes range themselves in horseshoe form around the guillotine and two rows of policemen form a line from the prison door to the instrument. It is through this line that the condemned passes.—Paris Cor. The Epoch.

Narrow Escape from Angry Bees.
A farmer who is an expert in the culture of bees declares that they are the most interesting of creatures, and that their "cuteness" is wonderful. Like all living creatures, the bee has a natural enemy; in this case it is the moth miller, which sometimes drives the swarms to desperation and frenzy. There it is that the wary keeper at a safe distance from the hives. This particular bee owner once saw a peculiar instance of the bees' hatred of black objects. It became necessary in some way to rearrange something belonging to the hive, when, like a host of furies, the enraged inmates flew out en masse and attacked the disturber of their peace. Quick as thought the farmer's wife ran and threw her white apron over the husband's head, whereupon the bees did not alight on him, but instead attacked two innocent black hens who happened near by, and stung them to death.—Boston Post.

Employment for Prisoners.
Oskum picking is doomed even in military prisons. Sir E. D. Cane's latest report on the discipline and management of these institutions is full of testimony for the more excellent plan of employing prisoners on less monotonous and more productive work. There is military prison at Brixton, and here the governor perceives a steady amelioration in the conduct of his prisoners. He attributes this improvement in a great degree to the pursuit of industries which improve their bodily and mental health.—London News.

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(Declaratory Statement No. 171.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
TUCSON, ARIZONA, Nov. 22, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, on the 18th day of January, 1888, viz: Joseph Tasker, of Tombstone, Arizona, for the SW 1/4 section nine, T. 21, S. R. 26 SE. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jas. O. Stanford, J. W. Tedrow, F. A. Abbott, W. A. Fuller, all of Tombstone, A. T.

A. D. DUFF, Register.

Pre-emption Notice.

(Declaratory Statement No. 1699.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
TUCSON, ARIZONA, Nov. 22, 1887.

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A. D. DUFF, Register.

Pre-emption Notice.

(Declaratory Statement No. 1904.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
TUCSON, ARIZONA, Nov. 22, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, on the 18th day of Jan. 1888, viz: John Wilson Tedrow, of Tombstone, A. T., for the SE 1/4 of section 19, T. 20 S. R. 26 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James O. Stanford, George Pridham, Joseph Tasker and W. A. Fuller, all of Tombstone, A. T.

A. D. DUFF, Register.

Notice of Homestead Proof.

(Homestead Application No. 175.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
TUCSON, ARIZONA, Nov. 22, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, on the 16th day of January, 1888, viz: Francisca Diaz, widow of Jesus Diaz, deceased, of Benson, Arizona, for the NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, section 34, T. 15, S. R. 20 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Antonio Grubba, John D. Brown, Antonio Comandson, Ramon Pacheco, all of Benson, Arizona.

A. D. DUFF, Register.

Summons.

In the Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1,
County of Cochise, Territory of Arizona.

Before Jno. C. Easton, a Justice of the Peace.
Cochise County Bank, plaintiff, vs. J. D. Merchant, non-resident defendant. Action brought in said Justice's Court and the complaint filed in said Justice's Court by the said plaintiff, and the said defendant, on the 16th day of January, 1888, viz: Francisca Diaz, widow of Jesus Diaz, deceased, of Benson, Arizona, for the NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, section 34, T. 15, S. R. 20 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Antonio Grubba, John D. Brown, Antonio Comandson, Ramon Pacheco, all of Benson, Arizona.

Given under my hand at my said office this 25th day of November, A. D. 1887.

JNO. C. EASTON,
Justice of the Peace, in and for said Precinct,
County and Territory.

THE FELICE MINING COMPANY.—

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California; location of works, Tombstone, Cochise County, Arizona Territory.

Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 11th day of November, 1887, an assessment (No. 1) of twenty cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, 224 Montgomery Street, Room 8, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of December, 1887, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before, will be sold on MONDAY, the 9th day of January, 1888, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

T. F. HOLLING, Secretary.

Office—224 Montgomery Street, Room 8, San Francisco, California.

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Notice to Creditors.

(Estate of Antonia Edmonds, deceased.)

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Antonia Edmonds, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his place of business, City of Tombstone, County of Cochise, Territory of Arizona. B. S. COFFMAN, Administrator of the estate of Antonia Edmonds deceased. Dated this 24th day of November, 1887.

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Summons.

In the Justice's Court of Precinct No. One,
County of Cochise, Territory of Arizona.

Before Jno. C. Easton, a Justice of the Peace.
Frank Harg, plaintiff, vs. J. D. Merchant, a non-resident defendant. Action brought in said Justice's Court, and the complaint filed in the said Court by the said Justice of the Peace in the said County of Cochise, on the 9th day of November 1887.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to J. D. Merchant, a non-resident of the Territory of Arizona, defendant, you are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the said Justice's Court, before said Justice of the Peace, at his office on Allen street, City of Tombstone, Cochise County aforesaid, and to answer the said complaint filed therein, within five days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this precinct, or if served without this precinct, but in this County, within ten days; or if served out of this County within fifteen days; otherwise judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to recover a judgment against you for the sum of Ninety Five dollars and 67 1/2 cents due by an account for money paid for you on a bill of Exchange, and a livery bill with intent to defraud, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the plaintiff will apply for judgment by default against you for said sum and all costs.

Given under my hand at my said office this 10th day of Nov. A. D. 1887.

JNO. C. EASTON,
Justice of the Peace in and for said Precinct,
County and Territory.

Summons.

In the District Court of the First Judicial
District, of the Territory of Arizona, in and for
the County of Cochise, Honorable Yimbert
plaintiff, vs. Jean Yimbert, defendant. Action
brought in the District Court of the Territory of
Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and
the complaint filed in the said County of
Cochise, in the office of the Clerk of said District
Court. The Territory of Arizona sends greeting
to Jean Yimbert, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or if served out of this county, but in this district, within twenty days; otherwise judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to recover from you a decree of divorce.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, this 16th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven.

[SEAL] GEO. H. DAILY,
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